

14.2 Conditionals - Type 2

Follow-up

Exercise 1

Match the first and second parts of the sentences below:

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| 1. If we had some better players, | a. I wouldn't have a problem buying shoes. |
| 2. I could give you a lift home | b. if you didn't drive so fast. |
| 3. If Robert did a little more practice, | c. she might get a good pass. |
| 4. I wouldn't feel so nervous | d. if my car wasn't at the garage. |
| 5. If we spoke perfect English, | e. we'd have a chance of winning the cup. |
| 6. You would feel much healthier | f. if you helped more around the house. |
| 7. If my feet weren't so big, | g. I'd try windsurfing. |
| 8. You'd make friends | h. if you took a little more exercise. |
| 9. If I were you, | i. we wouldn't have to do these exercises. |
| 10. I'd really appreciate it | j. if you were a little more sociable. |
| 11. He could look much smarter | k. if you didn't talk about computers all the time. |
| 12. If Anna did the necessary work, | l. he'd be an excellent guitarist. |
| 13. She wouldn't think you were boring | m. if I had more free time. |
| 14. If I had the confidence, | n. I'd be very careful what you say to him. |
| 15. I'd decorate the kitchen | o. if he took more interest in clothes. |

Exercise 2

Fill in the spaces in this text with suitable verbs:

Don't you think people use the word IF too much? They are always saying things like: IF we more money, IF we in a bigger house, IF you a better job, IF we afford to go to Florida on holiday, IF only we a car like the people next door, IF schools better, IF there no waiting lists for hospitals, IF, IF, IF! If people dream, we need the word IF!